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Applicant: Masako ASAMURA et al. Group: 2613
Application No.: 09/541,088 Examiner: Y. Young Lee
Filed: March 31, 2000 Conf.: 4023
For: DIGITAL VTR FOR RECORDING AND REPLAYING DATA DEPENDING ON
REPLAY MODES

LETTER TO THE OFFICIAL DRAFTSPERON
REFILING CORRECTED FORMAL DRAWINGS

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

The corrected formal drawings for the above-identified application had previously been filed on December 5, 2002. However, because we have not received acknowledgement from the PTO, attached again please find the corrected formal drawings. It is respectfully requested that the drawings be approved and that any objections by the Official Draftsperson now be reconsidered and withdrawn.

It is believed that the corrected formal drawings had been timely submitted. If our understanding is incorrect, it is requested that the Commissioner notify the undersigned immediately so that appropriate and timely action may be taken.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. §1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Date: December 4, 2002

Sir:

Attached hereto are three (3) sheets of corrected formal drawings which comply with the revisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.84. The drawings should be made part of the record in the above-identified application.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

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